

3.9 b derivatives of logarithms

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln(x^3 + x) = (3x^2 + 1) \cdot \frac{1}{x^3 + x}$$

product

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln(u) = \frac{du}{dx} \cdot \frac{1}{u}$$

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$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln u = \frac{du}{dx} \cdot \frac{1}{u}$$

$$y = \log x \quad (\text{means } \log_{10} x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = ? \quad \frac{1}{x \ln 10}$$

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change of base $\log_a x = \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b a}$

$$\log_{10} x = \frac{\log_e x}{\log_e 10}$$

$$\log x = \frac{\ln x}{\ln 10}$$

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$$\frac{d}{dx} \log_a u = \frac{du}{dx} \cdot \frac{1}{u \ln a}$$

properties of log

$$\log(ab) = \log a + \log b \quad \text{same for } \ln$$

$$\log\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \log a - \log b$$

$$\log a^x = x \log a$$

$$\ln e = 1 \quad \ln e^x = x$$

$$e^{\ln x} = x$$

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$$\frac{d}{dx} \log(\sin x) = \cos x \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x \cdot \ln 10} = \frac{\cot x}{\ln 10}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{e^{2x}}{\log_5 x^2} = \frac{\log_5 x^2 \cdot 2e^{2x} - e^{2x} \cdot 2x \cdot \frac{1}{x^2 \ln 5}}{(\log_5 x^2)^2}$$

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logarithmic differentiation

1. take \ln of both sides
2. use properties of \ln to simplify
3. implicit differentiation
4. solve for $\frac{dy}{dx}$

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$y = x^x$ find $\frac{dy}{dx}$

- $\ln y = \ln x^x$
- $\ln y = x \ln x$
- $\frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{1}{y} = x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \ln x \cdot 1$ take der wrt x of both sides
- $\frac{dy}{dx} = y(1 + \ln x)$
 $= x^x (1 + \ln x)$

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#45 $\ln y = \sqrt[5]{\frac{(x-3)^4(x^2+1)}{(2x+5)^3}} = \left(\frac{(x-3)^4(x^2+1)}{(2x+5)^3} \right)^{\frac{1}{5}}$

$$\ln y = \frac{1}{5} \ln \frac{(x-3)^4(x^2+1)}{(2x+5)^3}$$

$$\ln y = \frac{1}{5} \left[\ln(x-3)^4 + \ln(x^2+1) - \ln(2x+5)^3 \right]$$

$$\ln y = \frac{1}{5} \left[4 \ln(x-3) + \ln(x^2+1) - 3 \ln(2x+5) \right]$$

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